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For two days only Goods Reduced.

In order to reduce my stock I
will sell on **Saturday Jan. 12**
and **Monday Jan. 14**

Perfection and Zaring's

Patent Flour 25 lbs.	59c
Best Brand Tomatoes . . .	10c 3 for 29
Jersey Cream Corn . . .	9 " 25
Best Table Peach . . .	19 " 55
Best Granulated Sugar . . .	5 1-2 per lb.
Layton's . . . 10c Baking Powder	9c
" . . . 5 " "	4

Besides other canned goods which
will be proportionately reduced.

These goods are to be sold
for **CASH** and
FOR TWO DAYS ONLY.

J. B. EATON.

Powell County People and Her Banks.

The last report of the Clay City National Bank shows \$141,108.81, on deposit, and on December 31st the report of the Powell County Deposit Bank shows \$72,341.55, making a total deposit in the two Powell county banks of \$213,450.36. Powell county has a population of 6,443 according to the last government census, counting 5 members to the family, which is the average, there are 1,288 families. We find then that there is for each family in the county deposited in the banks of the county a fraction over \$165.50. A real nice little sum for a rainy day. And for each man, woman and child in the county there is \$33.12. This sum is far above the average of Kentucky counties and shows that our people are not so poor after all. Besides the showing made above, many of the business firms doing business in the county have accounts with banks out of the county, and so have some of our citizens. There is also several thousand dollars carried around in our farmers' jeans that is never placed in any bank. So upon the whole Powell county people are not yet paupers, and have the cash to buy up several thousand more acres of bluegrass land like they have been doing in the past.

Local Option Election Valid.

The Court of Appeals has affirmed Judge Benton's decision in the Tom Cole case which means that the local option election in this county is held valid with no further appeal to be made. Tom Cole was indicted for selling whiskey in Powell county after local option was in force. His defense was that the local option was illegal, so proof was admitted to show wherein the election was illegal. The defense claimed that whereas a special registration was not held in Clay City and Stanton to provide means for voters to get certificates where they had been lost, deprived many voters of participating in the election, therefore making it illegal. Judge Benton sustained the election as has the Court of Appeals. This settles the controversy and Powell county in full is local option.

Must Answer Seven Charges.

Will Heather who sold whiskey to a number of persons in Clay City last week, mention of which was made in our last issue, was caught in Lexington and brought to Stanton Monday for trial. He was released on \$300 bond to appear for trial again Saturday. There are seven cases against him, and the least penalty in each case will be \$20. This will make not less than \$140 for the offender's experiment in a local option town.

Stringent Liquor Laws.

The Mt. Sterling City Council has passed an ordinance to keep minors out of saloons in Mt. Sterling. A penalty of \$10 to \$20 is fixed for allowing minors to enter a saloon, and the minor is fined the same amount if he enters. The measure was adopted because so many boys have been

Sacrifice Sale for the next 30 days beginning with Wednesday, Jan. 2.

We put on sale all our hats at greatly reduced prices.

Lot 1 50c. In this lot you
find Hats that
sold as high as \$1.75 each.

Lot 2 98c Great Bargains.

Lot 3 \$1.48 Good Styles.

We do not care to carry over old stock, hence this sale.

A few fine Dress Patterns in Danish Cloth, Panama Etc., at
bargain prices.

A per cent. off on all Shawls, Facinators, Gloves, Hosiery Etc.
Call early and get choice of these bargains.

Dress-making in Connection.

Mrs. W. N. Bush,

As Time Passes It brings Money-Saving Oppor- tunities.

Of course there are some who have put off buying
something they really need. If it happens to be an

Overcoat, Ladies' Cloak

or anything in

Millinery

it is only better for you. You can save big money
on these articles by coming to my store for them.
They have been marked down to **COST**, as we in-
tend to close them all out before Spring.

Our stock of other goods is up to the standard
and we will take pleasure in supplying your needs.

SHIMFESSEL'S

Department Store.

RELIANCE MFG. CO., Winchester, Ky.

We Manufacture

Sash,
doors,
Blinds,
Varandas,
Stairways,
Store Fronts,

We are Headquarters for

Building Paper,
Felt Roofing,
Flintoid Roofing,
and Etc.

**Send us Your estimates.
Prompt Shipments.**

The Clay City National Bank, Clay City, Kentucky.

CAPITAL, \$50,000 00. SURPLUS FUND, \$6,300 00.

This Bank is pleased to place at the disposal of its customers the
facilities gained during SIXTEEN YEARS of
continuous service and growth.

Accounts of corporations, firms and individuals solicited, Guar-
anteeing prompt and liberal treatment.

We pay 3% interest on deposits in our SAVINGS DEPART-
MENT, compounded semi-annually. Accounts may be
started with as small amounts as One Dollar.

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seen drunk on the streets. The
council also fixed a penalty of
the same amount for the failure
of a saloon to close at midnight
and stay closed until 4 a. m.
Forfeiture of the license goes
with conviction under the ordi-
nance.

A reward of \$25 was offered to
any citizen who would furnish
evidence for a conviction of sell-
ing on Sunday. Saloon men
think the ordinance unjust. May-
or Harris says he will enforce the
law and that he proposes to make
saloonists obey or quit business.

The Elks of Mt. Sterling are
contemplating the erection this
spring of a new hall and opera-
house. The building will be of
the most modern design and
work will begin soon as the
weather will permit. The new
structure will cost \$30,000.00

For a delicious breakfast food,
get a package of Elijah's Manna at
the new grocery 5 and 15 cents.

Judge James W. Lilly a former
resident of this city has moved
from Warsaw, Ky. to Latonio, Ky.
We commend the Judge and his
estimable family to the good peo-
ple of Latonio.

True Friendship.

Much of the so-called friend-
ship of the day is but pretense.
It exists only in name and as
soon as it ceases to be advantage-
ous it is dropped. The friend-
ship that continues the same in
prosperity and adversity is to be
prized, but all other kinds are
worthless. It matters not how
hard a man may struggle to do
right and make a success of life
there is always some loathsome
reptile, some worthless wretch
who is ready to drag him down,
to blight his hopes and blast his
fondest ambitions. The loss of
money and property is not the
greatest loss a man can sustain
in the business world; far better
to lose your money than to lose
hope and ambition.